# NITRATE, AT 8 TO 5, WON

CAPTURED THE SUPERIOR HANDI-CAP FROM JOHN M'GURK.

Was Coupled with Lucien Appleby, and Hawthorne Bettors Expected the Last Named to Win.

CLOSE OF THE JAMAICA MEET

FOREST HANDICAP WON BY THREE-YEAR-OLD SHERIFF BELL.

August Selling Stakes at Delmar Taken by Jordan-Horse's Neck Broken at Fort Erie.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.-Durnell & Hertz's Nitrate, coupled in the betting with Lucien Appleby, at 8 to 5, won the Superior handicap at Hawthorne to-day in a canter. He led the full mile and a half. John Mc-Gurk, the post favorite at 13 to 10, was second, with Barca third, a length in front of Lucien Appleby, with Airlight last. The result of the race was a complete surprise, as all who backed the entry relied upon Lucien Appleby to win. Weather cool; track fast. Monday local racing shifts to Harlem. To-day's summaries:

third. Time, 2:04.
Seventh-Mile and seventy yards: Weird, First Race-Six furlongs: Auditor, 108 (Helgesen), 2 to 7, won; Buccanneer, 112 (S. 106 (Sheehan), 5 to 2, won; Baronet, 101 (F. Smith), 5 to 1, second; Brown Vail, 104 (W. Watson), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:49½. Bonner, 9 to 1, second; Black Wolf, 105 (P. Phillips), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.

Second—Six furlongs: The Kentuckian,
119 (C. Gray), 13 to 5, won; Sardine, 118 (J. Delmar entries for Monday:
First Race—One mile and seventy yards, selling: Margie S., 161; First One, Aransas, 98;
King's Sister, 90; Poyntz, 108; Quizante, Ben
Hempstead, 103; Meddlesome, 190; Exapo, 87;
Edna Lowe, 94; Leon De, General Dix, 92; Le-Reiff), 2 to 1, second; Big Ben, 111 (Wonderly, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:144-5.

Third-Mile and a half, Superior handicap: Nitrate, 108 (C. Gray), 8 to 5, won; John McGurk, 108 (Henry), 13 to 10, second; Barca, 92 (Robbins), 10 to 1, third. Time, Second-Five furlongs, selling: Our Lille, 95; Edna Daniels, Easter Walters, Bush Smith, Carriota, 100; Always Faithful, Angelee, Bonnie

Fourth-Steeplechase, short course: Moranda, 130 (J. Johnston), even, won; Paulaker, 137 (McClure), 6 to 1, second; Nata, 125 (Hueston), 17 to 1, third. Time, 2:53 2-5. Fifth-Mile and one-eighth: Our Bess 91 (W. Knapp), 2½ to 1, won; Fonsoluca, 102 (Bonner), 5 to 1, second; Sarge, 96 (Helgesen), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:54. Sixth-One mile: McGee, 94 (Helgesen), 8 to 5, won; Ahola, 94 (W. Knapp), 10 to 1, second; Grand Opera, 110 (L. Wilson), 4 to 5, Time, 1:41 2-5.

Harlem entries for Monday: First Race—Three-quarters of a mile, selling: ather Wentker, 110; Sardine, Louis Wagner, 107; Mayor Johnson, Uranium, 103; Serya, Angelo, Sir Hugh, 199; St. Cuthbert, 192; Veetry, 98; The Forum, 97; Little Myron, Mary McCafferty, 93; second-Five-eighths of a mile,

Blue Darter, Fred Leppert, Flo Bob, 110; Major Pelham, St. Paris, J. P. Mayberry, 105; Touch-stone, 102; Floral King, Atlantico, Toltec, 98; 95; R. F. Williams, Joe Ross, 93; Miss Coughlin, 90; Handiwich, 90.

Third-Garfield handicap, six furlongs: Dick Wells, 122; Golden Rule, 116; Toah, 111; Jack Ratlin, 109; Gregor K., Skillful, Burnie Bunton, Otis, 196; John Peters, A. D. Gibson, 195; L'Etrenne, 194; Paul Whaley, 99; The Cryer, 99; Orsina, 99; Delagoa, 98; Ahola, Orfeo, 90; J. Sydney Walker, 92; Gypsum, 90. (Orsina and Orfeo coupled as Linden's entry. J. Sydney Walker and A. D. Gibson coupled as Darden's

Fourth-Steeplechase, short course:

155; Golden Link, 153; Anchor, 140; Indian II. Tartar, 135; Paul Aker, 134; Oliver Mc., 130; Siap Dash, Nata, 125. (Indian II and Nata coupled as Corrigan's entry.)
Fifth One mile: Glassful, 109; McGee,
Warte Nichte, 107; Postmaster Wright,
Ontonagon, 100; Orsina, 99; My Queen, 99; din, 97.

Sixth—One mile and one-sixteenth: Grand Opera, Bragg, 107; Hargis, 104; Haviland, 101; Huzzah, 104; The Conqueror II, John Bright, Otis, Sharpless, 106; Bessie McCarthy, 99.

Seventh—Selling, one mile and one-eighth: Major Tenny, 109; The Ledaen, 107; El Ghor, Curate, Goldaga, Marcos, 106; Moor, 105; Fox Plyer, 103; Jack Doyle, Little Elkin, 100; Barney Burk, 99; Bard of Avon, 98; Kilmorie, 99.

CLOSE AT JAMAICA.

#### Sheriff Bell Won in Forest Handicap by Half a Length.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.-The six days' meeting of the Metropolitan Jockey Club at lamaica came to a close to-day. The Forest handicap for three-year-olds was won by Sheriff Bell, with Duke of Kendal secand and Tugai Bey, the favorite, third. Tugai Bey cut out the running to the stretch, where Sheriff Bell and Duke of Kendal closed up and in a driving finish, the former won by half a length.

Menday the racing shifts to Saratoga, where a twenty-two days' meeting will be held. To-day's summaries:

First Race—Six furlongs: Virgin Soil, 109 (Hicks), 16 to 5, won; Choate, 100 (Dangman), 20 to 1, second; Julia Junkin, 99 (Reddington), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5. cond-One mile and one-sixteenth: April Shower, 108 (Cochran), 4 to 1, won; Satire 115 (Hicks), 8 to 5, second; Gavito, 99 (Larsen), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:49 1-5. Third-The Ridgewood handicap, six furlongs: Race King, 126 (Gannon), 4 to 1, won; Hazelwood, 127 (Hoar), 6 to 1, second; Pentaur, 121 (Cochran), 9 to 5, third. Time.

Fourth-The Forest handicap, mile and one furlong: Sheriff Bell, 120 (Hicks), 3 to won; Duke of Kendal, 126, (McCue), 7 to 2, second; Tugai Bey, 107 (Gannon), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:55 1-5. Fifth-Five and one-half furlongs: Funnyside, 107 (Wilkerson), 8 to 5, won; The Bower, 110 (Haacks.) 10 to 1, second; Polerogers, 114 (Robertson), 10 to 1, third. Time,

Sixth-Mile and seventy yards: Cincinnatus, 101 (De Sousa), 9 to 5, won: Hyland, tos (Dangman), 10 to 1, second; Royal Pirate, 91 (C. Smith), 50 to 1, third. Time,

#### Saratoga Entries for Monday. SARATOGA, Aug. 1 .- Saratoga entries for

First Race-Six furlongs: Chuctanunda, Copourg. 125; Gay Boy, Runnels, 119; King Pepper, 116; Leonora Loring, Sadducee, 114; Earl of Warwick, Yardarm, 119.

Second—The Balliston cup, hunters' steeplethase, about two miles and one-half: The Virginian, 154; Double Thong, 153; Roy Storm, 146; Leon Relow Zero, 145 Ten Below Zero, 145. Third-The Flash, five and one-half furlongs: Ormonde's Right, 125; Orthodox, Strephon, Juve-tile Maxim, Moraoib, Stalwart, Reliance, Monwater, Red Man, 117; Euphrata, Dimple, Ap-Fourth-Saratoga handicap, one mile and one-quarter: Waterboy, 127; Hermis, 123; Gunfire, [22; Fieno, 120; Africander, 119; Goldsmith, 118;

aughnawaga, 109; Disadvantage, 107; Hunter taine, 104; Injunction, 102; South Trimble, 98. Fifth-Five and one-half furlongs, selling: Invenile Maxim, 110; Avenger, 107; Lacon, Yo-ian, 105; Gracie B., 104; Bluish, Tommy Rot, Long Distance, Jolly, 102; Ganonque, Red Light, 19; Brooklyn, 97; Madala, Lady Annis, For Sixth—One mile, selling: Kalif, 113; High-ander, 112; Easy Street, 109; Vincennes, 109; Bold Bell, 109; Somerset, John Barleycorn, 101; Caithness, Eva Russell, 96; James F., Dink-

CLOSE FINISH AT DELMAR.

#### Fordan Was First Out the Bunch and Won the August Selling Stakes,

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1 .- Jordan, T. P. Hayes's our-year-old, won the August selling stakes, at a mile and twenty yards, at Delmar Park to-day. It was an excellent performance. The four starters finished have been entered in many of the big cirwithin a half length. Miss Mae Day, Miss pacer, Cutter, fr., to E. H. Cant, of Onega, Bolightly, Helen Print and Jordan was the N. Y. The animal has a mark of 2:22, but at Frankfort made a mile in 2:15. The purway they got off. At the three-quarters ordan was still last, ten lengths behind Helen Print, and the positions remained as shove mentioned far into the stretch, where the field, save Jordan, was tiring fast. lordan was moving up steadily and easily. not a whip being used, and just before the wire was reached dashed in front, winning by a neck. It was an exciting finish-neck.

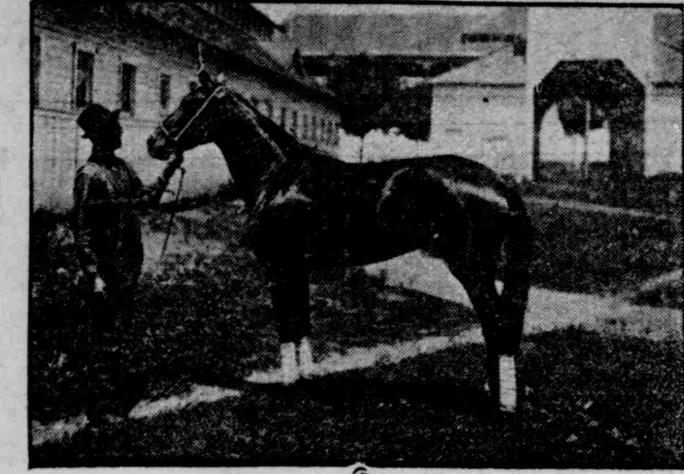
neck and nose. In the fifth, handicap, Hi Lee ran an ex-cellent race, winning by a neck from Croix D'Or. It was the first race Hi Lee has won ceus, the great trotting stallion, has written it Delmar this season. Track slow. to know if arrangements can be made to send Cresceus over Richmond's mile track against time. With this as a feature it is Weather threatening. Summaries: First Race-Mile and seventy yards; sellpossible a race card will be arranged for. The local track is one of the best. mg: Noweta, 89 (L. A. Jackson), 9 to 1 won; Margle S. 99 (Mahon), 20 to 1, second; Burlap, 94 (Higgins), 6 to 1, third. Time,

Second-Seven furlongs: Lady Vashti, 22 (Higgins), 3 to 1, won; Lasso, 95 (Bridwell), to 5, second; Golden Glitter, 95 (Welckert), day of the Island Park races Major Delmar to 1, third. Time, 1:31%.

Third—Five and one-half furlongs: Brannot only broke the track record but his own |

108 (Sheehan), 5 to 1, won; Lord Her108 (Sheehan), 5 to 1, won; Lord Her109 (2:05%, making the mile in 2:04%.

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mence, 108 (F. Smith), 7 to 2, second; Hugh McGowan, 105 (Higgins), 7 to 1, third. Time, LOCAL BETTING ON FIGHT Fourth-Mile and twenty yards; August selling stakes: Jordan, 105 (D. Austin), 2 to 1, won; Miss Golightly, 101 (A. W. Booker), 7 to 1, second; Miss Mae Day, 107 (Troxler), even, third. Time, 1:45%.

Fifth—Six furlongs; handicap: Hi Lee, 105 (Troxler), 9 to 2, won; Croix D'Or, 106 (Checker), 9 to 2, won; Polying 100 (Dong

(Sheehan), 13 to 5, second; Belvino, 100 (Don-

Sixth-Mile and three-sixteenths; selling

Menace, 108 (A. W. Booker), 4 to 1, won; Memphian, 98 (D. Austin), 5 to 2, second; Ida Penzance, 103 (W. Watson), 4 to 1,

Cautious, Ultra Vires, Prince Herman, 109.

Fifth-Sx furloags: Black Enough, 97; Lord

FELL WHILE JUMPING.

His Neck in Steeplechase.

won; May Combs, second; Iolee,

third. Time, 1:4714.

BUFFALO, Aug. 1 .- The Canadian stee-

furlongs: Andrattus won;

Kahler, second; Ink, third. Time,

Third-Mile and one-sixteenth: Allopath

von; Autolight, second; Flora Willoughby,

Fourth-The Grand Canadian steeple

chase: Hieaway won; Tommy Hill, second Trenct De Mare, third. Time, 6:53.

UNFIT TO RACE.

McChesney Has Been Withdrawn from

the Saratoga Special.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 1.-McChesney

will not start in the Saratoga handicap, to

be run on the Saratoga Association's track

on Monday next. The reason given for

McChesney's withdrawal is that he is not

in fit condition and his trainer thought it

inadvisable to start the horse until he is in

3:19 PACE AT KOKOMO WAS A WELL-

CONTESTED RACE.

2:30 Trot by Miss Leo Rex.

KOKOMO, Ind., Aug. 1.-The chief event

in the closing day races here was the 2:19

River (Benner) ...... 1 1 6 7 4 2

fer) ......6 5 3 4 1 2 3

Poston, b. h. (Bruce)....... 6 6 7 5 dr

Miss Leo Rex, b. m., by Rex (Hays)..1 1 1

Ada Van Notta, ch. m. (Padgett) ..... 5 4 4

Marcus T., br. g., by Agricala (Lan-

John M., blk. g., by Paris (Flem-

Wautel, ch. g. (Frazier)......5

Melva R., ch. m. (Bruce)...... 6

Daniel J., b. g. (Darnaby)...... 8

Dominade, ch. h. (Baker)....... 9 8

Cutler, Jr. (2:15), Sold.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 1 .- Luke Balfe,

the horseman, of this city, whose horses

cuit meets in the West, to-day sold his bay

chaser is a wealthy New Yorker, and will

make a matinee horse out of the pacer.

Richmond May Have a Meet.

RICHMOND, Ind., Aug. 1 .- A movement

is on foot here to give Richmond a two or

Major Delmar Trots in 2:04 3-4.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 1 .- At the closing

pace, with nine starters. It took seven

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

2:19 Pace; stake \$1,000:

Nellie Online, b. m., by On-

Czarina, ch. m., by Czar

Summaries:

2:15%, 2:15%.

2:30 Trot; purse \$300:

Time-2:241/4, 2:25, 2:241/4.

Time-2:1814, 2:1614, 2:1614.

The price paid was \$1,500.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

2:30 Pace; stake \$1,000:

second: The Boer, third. Time, 1:14%.

egan), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:151/2.

JEFFRIES IS FAVORITE OVER COR-BETT AT ODDS OF 2 TO 1.

The Price May Be Lengthened to to 1 Next Week-Root Has Issued a Challenge to Gardner.

Local interest in the coming championship fight between James Jeffries and James Corbett, to take place in San Francisco, Aug. 14, is becoming more pro- is a player of much ability. This is her secnounced every day. Bets are now being offered at the Kingston and Harry Walker's of 2 to 1 on Jeffries, but there have Pardee, 107; Tiomaine, Bird Bond, 102.
Third—Six furlongs: Varna Fonso, 100; Bisuka, Sue's Sister, 107, Ranchman, 105; Jake, 112; Jeane Beckham, Little Long, Whiten, Sister Lillian, been no takers. It is quite likely that the N. J oddds will be 21/2 to 1, or 3 to 1 in the course of another week. It is believed there will be practically no local betting until within Fourth-One mile: Miss Mae Day, 108; Bas d'Or, 107; W. B. Gates, Stand Pat, 102; Maud a few days of the battle, when the men secure a better line on the condition of the two fighters.

Hermence, Ingoithrift, 110; Sartor Resartus, Orient, McGowan, 102; Port Warden, 100; Preten-Jim Corbett is in active training at Ala-Sixth—One mile and seventy yards, selling: Feronia, 94; Galanthus, 100; Lady Obey, 101; Bendora, 98; Dr. Hart, Submarine, 103; Daddy Bender, 95; Miss Eon, 90; Eocrys, Hanan, 105; Burlap, 92; Blando, 96; Immortelle, 85. meda. The latest news from Harbin Springs, where Jeffries is getting into shape, indicates that he counted on his superior weight as a factor in the contest. In a ten-round bout with Fitzsimmons yesterday he forced the latter to repeated and continuous clinches, throwing his massive Lord Farrondale Killed by Breaking body with full force on the former champion. Fitzsimmons frankly admits that he was exhausted, but almost immediately plechase over the full course attracted the afterward Jeffriss boxed ten lively rounds biggest crowd of the season at Fort Erie with his brother Jack and Jim Kennedy. to-day. Lord Farrondale fell at the sevenjump and broke his neck. The The champion will probably remain at Harweather was fine and the track fast. Rebin Springs until within a few days of the big fight. Yesterday afternoon Corbett ap-First Race-Five furlongs: Silver Dream peared as Charles the Wrestler in an openair performance of "As You Like It" at Sutro Heights in a benefit performance.

XXX The Indianapolis Athletic Club is pre paring an excellent card of bouts to be given at the Empire on the night of the big championship battle in San Francisco. first-class evening's entertainment will given, and in addition to the contests re-Fifth-One mile: Allan Ferris won; Provost, second; Daryl, third. Time, 1:454.
Sixth-Six furlongs: Ed L. won; Maru, turns will be received at the theater by special wire from the ring-side in San Fran-

Seventh-One mile: Animosity won Flo Bright, second; Soothsayer, third. Time, 1:40%. L. M. Houseman, manager of Jack Root, has sent out the following letter, which self-explanatory:

"To John Leyden, Esq., president Inter-naional Athletic Club, Ft. Erie, Canada— My Dear Sir: Herewith I send you certified check for \$1,000 in support of the following "On behalf of Jack Root, of Chicago,

Lowell. Mass., champion light heavyweight | track record, as he has repeatedly gone in of the world, to a contest for the title, the same to be battled for at any time after Sept. 15, 1903,

'Under the terms of the championship trophy fought for at Ft. Erie on July last, and won by Gardner, the holder must defend it against legitimate challengers three times successfully before it becomes his property. This is a legitimate challenge. It is backed up by a forfeit, which can form part and parcel of a side bet of \$2,500 if Gardner insists upon it. "If this challenge is not accepted within two weeks I shall claim for Root the title | difficulty.

of light heavyweight champion and the trophy given by the Ft. Erie Club.'

BIG ENTRY LIST.

Much Interest Is Being Taken in Open Championship at Riverside.

One of the largest entry lists of any tournament ever held at Riverside has been received for the open championship to be held Aug. 6, 7 and 8. This tournament will be a scratch event and the same system as governed the spring championship will be used. Great interest is being taken and from day to day one can see the city's best golfers practicing at Riverside for the coming

received: W. W. Carter, P. Sharpe, Herman Sayles, E. L. Lennox, E. M. Ogle, O. C. Maurer, Theodore Layman, J. Root, W. R. Root, A. H. Hall, William D. Donaldson, Ned Jones, Tom Hause, Mr. Cowen, H. W. Waterman, George Rockwood, Mr. McFarland, J. C. Kepperly, P. Levy, George Arm-strong, Fred Rieble, Layton Walker, T. Stewart, C. R. Jackson, J. A. Chambers, J. W. Carroll, Dr. Layman, Robert Rawls, Rev. Dr. Rawls, Joseph McCrea, Phil Kirlind, R. L. Wilson and Thomas S. Garber.

Won Wisconsin Championship. RACINE, Wis., Aug. 1.-Edward Buchani, of Wisconsin, won the state golf champion-

ship here to-day, defeating W. H. Yule, of Kenosha, Wis., by 3 up and 1 to play.

> Golf Notes. (By the Putter.)

Mr. E. L. Lenox and P. Sharpe will leave next Friday for Chicago and play on the following links: Jackson Park, Homewood Golf Club and the Exmoor Country Club. Yesterday at Riverside all former records for attendance were broken. Just two years ago Saturday about twenty people played. Yesterday there were fully two hundred players going over the course.

Word has been received from J. W. Carroll that he will enter the tournament next Thursday. Mr. Carroll has been winning every thing in sight at the Fox Hill Club, New York, and promises to make it interesting for prominent home golfers. Miss Lois Dyer, while playing with Dr. Stine last Friday afternoon, broke the record for the course, making the 18 holes in 109. The former record was held by Miss Rawls, with a score of 114. Miss Lois Dyer ond season at the game.

From Track and Stable. A new track is to be built at Atlantic City,

Elastic Pointer, 2:061/2, is the fastest blind

Brown Hal, 2:121/2, is now the sire of te 2:10 pacers. Jim Gatcomb has turned Nella Jay, 2:1414

over to Jack Curry. Prince Alert, 2:00 has trained a mile in 2:0 for Mart Demarest. Ida Highwood, by Highwood, has trotted mile in 2:081/2 to wagon.

Twenty-six heats were trotted and paced in 2:10 or better at Detroit. Lily Young, 2:09%, is twelve years old and is, therefore, the oldest trotter to enter the

2:10 list. Lucy Homer is now the dam of two 2:1 trotters in Lecco, 2:09%, and Authoress, 2:10. Dan Patch, Lou Dillon, Audubon Boy and John A. McKerron will probably be sent after new records at Readville.

Dan Patch, 1:501, will start against the world's half-mile record of 2:0414 during the meeting at Lima, O., Sept. 7 to 10 This is Cleveland's thirty-third year in the Grand Circuit. In 1873 the circuit was made up of Cleveland, Buffalo, Utica and

H. B. Gentry, of Bloomington, Ind., has just purchased of California parties the good race and brood mare, Mary Lou, 2:17, dam of Budd Doble's great green trotter, Kinney Lou.

Springfield.

M. H. Reardon, of Indianapolis, has pur-chased of John Taylor, of Ladoga, Ind., a half interest in a sensationally fast threeyear-old pacing filly by Dispute, 2:1514, sire of John Taylor, 2:101/4. Dan Patch, 1:59%, has a good Indianapolis representative in the three-year-old colt, Earl Patch, owned by W. T. Wilson. He

was trained for two months by Frank Mc-Vey and paced a mile in 2:20. Thomas Pickens, a Richmond horseman who a short time ago bought a bay pacing horse of Timothy Glenn, of New Paris, O. for \$160, has cleaned up a nice sum on the sale of the animal. J. H. Sullivan & Co., of Van Buren, Ind., bought him for \$1,500. herewith challenge George Gardner, of It is believed the horse will make a good

> the neighborhood of 2:15. Drowned Trying to Save Another.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 1.—Trying to save the life of John J. Voelkel, sr., a wellknown bookkeeper of New Orleans, Walter E. Bytel, assistant paying teller of the Whitney National Bank, was drowned at Grand Isle yesterday. Voelkel was also drowned. Mrs. Voelkel and Miss Voelkel went to the assistance of the men, who Beach track to-night, the twenty-mile had sunk in a hole, and were rescued with | motor-paced race between McLean, Wal-

JEFFRIES IN TRAINING FOR HIS BOUT WITH CORBETT

TRAINED AT INDIANAPOLIS TRACK

IDEALA, BY LORD HAROW

SIR THOMAS NOT ONLY AFTER THE AMERICA'S YACHT CUP,

But Working All Tricks of the Politician to Win Friends-Carnations for Girls and Kisses for Babies.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 1 .- Sir Thomas

Lipton to-night concluded a day of receptions along the way from New York to Buffalo as a guest of the Buffalo Club, a special train having given him beautiful views of the Lehigh, the Wyoming and the Susquehanna valleys and the people along Billy Buck was the only two-time winner | the line welcomed him in a fashion that delighted him. Hundreds of enthusiasts a Wilkesbarre literally pulled him from the cab of the locomotive in which he rode for about 100 miles among the mountains and at Easton and most other of the stops there was a rush for the rear platform to meet him and wish him good luck. Bethel he invited the Misses Bessie and Annie Taylor into the car and gave them pins bearing the Shamrock flag and at every station he presented a carnation to every girl who could get within reach. Sir Thomas told General Passenger Agent Charles S. Lee, of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, that he was pleased with the cordiality shown on the way and at Buffalo. throng greeted him and cheered as he left the Buffalo station. He held an impromptu reception in front of the Buffalo Club and even kissed a baby that the mother held

> The men of Buffalo gave the yachtman warm greeting at the Buffalo Club, and after a reception at which they wished him the best of luck they gave a dinner in his honor at which Sir Thomas and his hosts made informal speeches. He received an address to-day from the Irish residents of Ithaca saying that if, as Americans, they could not wish him victory they could not, as Irishmen, hope him defeat.

Sir Thomas is accompanied by his from the Erin and by Lehigh Valley Railroad officers. To-morrow he will be shown Niagara Falls and be entertained by the Royal Yacht Club on Niagara-on-the-Lake.

### MONROE'S NEW HONORS.

Rode 624 Yards More than De Guichard Did in One Hour.

BOSTON, Aug. 1 .- Benny Monroe, Memphis, was the record-breaker in the Golden Wheel race at Charles River Park to-night, riding in the fourth hour of the week's contest 49 miles, 21 yards, which is 624 yards better than the world's record made last night on the same track by De Guichard. The latter covered 47 miles, 1,056 yards, and Lawson 39 miles, 176 yards. Monroe at the end of the four nights riding is still in the lead, with 190 miles. 1.310 yards to his credit; De Guichard second, with 181 miles, 148 yards, and Lawson third, 149/miles, 688 yards.

McLean Won Big Event. REVERE, Mass., Aug. 1 .- Seven thousand persons saw the sport at the Revere

thour, Butler, Moran and Leander being

the feature. Walthour went out at the start and led until the fourth mile, when his motor refused to work. McLean then took the lead, which he held until the finish, Butler getting second. Time, 30:161-5. NIECE OF POPE LEO.

Wife of Arthur Middleton, an American and Ex-Confederate.

Boston Herald. Few Americans are aware of the fact that an American family, who were a very conspicuous factor in the formation of this Republic, is closely conected by marriage with the family of Pope Leo XIII. This is the Middleton family, of South Carolina, of which Ralph I. Middleton, of Pond avenue, Brookline, is a descendant. They are descended from the Middletons, of Stockell, England, where they were noted for distinguished acts of public service and the prominent social position they occupied sev- came to Dunkirk. A Baptist minister, eral hundred years before the revolution. whose name I forget, married us and we re-

Henry Middleton was president of the Continental Congress and Arthur Middleton was a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

The present head of the Middleton family is Henry Bentivoglio Van Ness Middleton (Count of Bentivoglio), who in 1869 married the beautiful Beatrice. Countess Cini of Rome. The countess was a mem- ation reception at her home. The graduaber of one of the oldest and proudest families of Rome and a niece of Pope Leo XIII. The family lives in Rome, where the Count of Bentivoglio has always been in close touch with leading Italian families, having the respect and esteem of the whole people. The father of the present Count of Bentivoglio also married for his second wife an Italian countess, and a brief sketch Arthur Middleton, charge d'affaires

the United States at Madrid, was born at Clifton, Gloucester, Oct. 28, 1795, and was graduated at Harvard University in 1814. He became a member of the par in 1823. He lived much of his time abroad, especially in Paris, and was in 1837 secretary of the United States legation and charge d'affaires at Madrid for eight years. He married at Rome in 1841 Paulina, Countess of Bentivoglio, daughter of General Count Bentivoglio, at one time governor of the castle of San Angelo. Arthur Middleton died at Naples June ?

1853, and was succeeded by his only son, the present head of the Middleton family, who received his early education at the South Carolina Military Academy Charleston, S. C., and in Paris. When the civil war broke out he served with distinction as a ligutenant in the Confederate army, having returned to Rome in 1866, where he received the commission of captain in the Papal Zouaves, subsequently becoming an officer at the court of the King

It was upon his return to Rome at the close of the civil war that Mr. Middleton met and married the Pope's niece, Beatrice, Countess Cini. Theirs was a love match at first sight. The countess met her future husband while Mr. Middleton was attached to the Pope's household. The issue of this union is as fellows: Guilo Arturo Middleton, born and edu-

cated in Rome, at present an officer in the Italian navy; Constanza, married in 1895 John Browning Spence, the then Brit-ish consul at Medeira, and Virginia, married in 1896 Count Masetti of Florence.

COUNTRIES I HAVE NEVER SEEN.

Impressions of Italy Gathered from Various Outside Sources.

Bernard G. Richards, in The Reader, "Others have used their knowledge. Let me write out of my ignorance and show the value of it."

Italy is the land where every poet goes for the inspiration of his life, and whence people come to dig our sewers. It is one the most beautiful countries in the world. Not all of its inhabitants are guides, so, as they cannot all live on the sights, many of them come to America to seek any sort of odd jobs. So many beauties has this country that only tourists can afford to avail themselves of all its charms; but after they acquire their little fortunes in America, the natives often go back to visit the big cities and see considerable of

their own land. Italy possesses the most imposing chapels, churches and cathedrals. The larg cities are just dotted with these edifices, all of which contain works of art wonderfully rare and beautiful. The Italians who come to America first learn about these things through the settlement workers and from the lectures that are given in the slums where they abide, by the various have been loath to believe them, but care-societies for the uplifting of the masses. ful inquiry into the case on our own part When they have been here long enough to know a fair amount of the English language they learn a little something about Italian art and literature. They also learn here of the great men that their country has produced, and find that America was discovered by one of their countrymen.

All of which awakens keen interest to Italian art and literature. They also learn All of which awakens keen interest in their country, and with many it becomes a lifelong ambition to visit the land of their forefathers and behold its manifold works of antiquity and priceless treasures

of art. They are a most musical race—the Italians are; and they supply the world with some of the finest singers at the highest rates payable. As is seen by their grand operas, whenever anything serious happens among the Italians they sing about it to They are a most musical race-the among the Italians they sing about it to each other. A man tells his troubles to his grandmother in a beautiful melody, accompanied by a large orchestra. This is the way much of the conversation is replaced. A soldier comes back from the war. He finds that his sweeheart has, during his absence, married another man. So they sing a duet together. One of the centers of Italy is Rome, It

is called the Eternal City, and was built for Hall Caine for the purpose of his novel. Rome is the seat of the Vatican, which contains the Pope and other treasures of art and antiquity. It must be a beautiful sight to behold the brigands in their picturesque costumes as they are camping about the Vatican, where they pitch their tents and lie in wait for the pilgrims to the Holy City.

Abou T. Lipton. Abou T. Lipton (may his tribe increase!)

Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace, And saw an angel with a fountain pen Scribbling upon a sheet of foolscap. Then, Regaining his composure, Tom sat up And asked the angelic one to have a cup Of his best tea. The angel shook his head, "I'm on the water wagon now." he said. Abou T. Lipton waved his hand: "I see, But, by the way, what writest thou?" The heavenly vision answered. "Well, I write Here on this little sheet, in black and white, The man whose boat will get the needed place-The winner in the coming yachting cace."
The gallant Lipton brightened up. "Pray tell."
He queried, "does the name begin with L?" "I'm sorry." said his guest. "It is a shame. But as things stand, I cannot write your name." T. Lipton made reply, "Would I were It, But put me down as one who never quit!"

The angel wrote and vanished. The next night He called on Tom again, but not to write. Said he, "I have on this large, handsome chart, (A fine example of the engraver's art), The names of some true sportsmen-just And lo, T. Lipton's name led all the rest!

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## AN UNLUCKY POKER GAME

CLEVELAND BRIDEGROOM STARTED WRONG ON HIS HONEYMOON.

Lost His Money and Then His Wife-Queer Ending of a Romance Be-

gun at a Summer Resort.

New York Herald.

In tearful accents a stranded bridegroom told at the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday how he had eloped with the daughter of a man of millions last December and married her, but kept the affair a secret until her graduation on June 11, when he was robbed in a hotel at Erie, Pa., and in trying to recover his money his father-in-law was apprised of the whole affair.

Since then the bridegroom has been here vainly trying to reach his wife, but her father has kept her secluded, and she does not know where her husband is.

The bridegroom is Nelson Delmage, only son of Arthur Albert Delmage, a retired oil man, of Cleveland, O., and grandson of Albert Delmage, for many years high commissioner of customs at Montreal. He is twenty-seven years old and was divorced from his first wife a few months ago. The bride is Ida Susan Koehler, second

daughter of Jackson Koehler, of Erie, Pa. He has a handsome country place, stocked with deer, a steam yacht, automobiles and horses galore. His eldest daughter, Florence, was recently graduated from a fashionable school.

The story of the romance is told by the unhappy bridegroom in these words:
"Ida is a stunning girl—tall, dark and handsome. We met in the summer of 1900, at Conneaut Harbor, where she and her sumter and a chaperon were spending the sum-mer. During a trip to Buffalo with a gay party we fell desperately in love. Last Eas-ter I visited the family at Erie and was cordially received.

"Last December, the 11th, we concluded we could not wait any longer, and I met her at Erie and we took a train to Dunkirk, N. Y., only a short distance away. It is not necessary to get a marriage license in this State, and we had to hurry; that is why we The Middleton families are among the few turned to Erie. Only her sister Florence vas taken into our co ly kept the secret admirably, if she is a

THEN HE PLAYED POKER. "On June 11 the graduation exercises of Ida's school were to be held at Erie, and, of

course, I was on hand. We were to go away on our wedding trip right after the gradution came off all right. I went to Cleveland and got \$500 from my father to pay part of the expenses of the honeymoon, and bustled back to Erie. As I got off the train I met several well-dressed young men. To make a long story short, when I came to the next morning at a hotel in Erie, I remembered being in a poker game or something of the sort, but I could not find a cent of my

"Here comes the saddest part of it all. went to the mayor of Erie and told him had been robbed by sharpers, and asked i the detectives could not run them down and get back at least a part of the money. He put his chief of police on the track, but, as ill luck would have it, the mayor's chief clerk is a nephew of my father-in-law, and he had to telephone to him that his son-inlaw had been 'done' out of all his money by gamblers and left stranded. Father-in-law started for the hotel, saying his informant must be crazy. A kind friend woke me up and told me I had better 'git,' as father-in-law had angrily said he had no son-in-law that he knew of and was going to investigate.

"I jumped on the Empire State express and came to New York post haste. My trunks are still at the hotel in Eric. I have not been able to communicate with my My father-in-law won't answer my tele grams, and my parents think we are of somewhere at Newport or Narragansett or our wedding tour. I can't get any more cash from them, and here I am."

REMEMBERS THE MARRIAGE. The Rev W. P. Murray, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Dunkirk, remembers marrying a couple on Dec. 11, 1902, who gave their names as Nelson Delmage. born in Ontario, formerly one of the managers of the Carnegie plant at Conneaut divorced, and Ida Koehler, aged twenty, of

The bride is said to be only eighteen, how-ever, according to her friends in Erie. Del-mage says she knew of his former wedding and of his efforts to get a divorce, and the his letting his wife get one on the ground of desertion. He says he and his father-in-law were good friends until the moment the escapade with the card sharps was made public. Since then, on account of the divorce, Mr. Koehler has refused him both his wife and the freedom of the Koehler

Mr. Koehler gave his daughter the choice of giving up her husband or being disinherited. Since learning that Delmage had been married to a daughter of Mott Sher-man, a wealthy resident of Albion, N. Y., and that his first wife had the marriage annulled, Mr. Koehler persuaded his daugh-ter that she would be happier at home. Di-vorce proceedings will now be begun by the young wife, according to the father.

A TREMENDOUS APPETITE.

Leslie's Weekly.

Champion Eater of the Time Lives Over in Ohio.

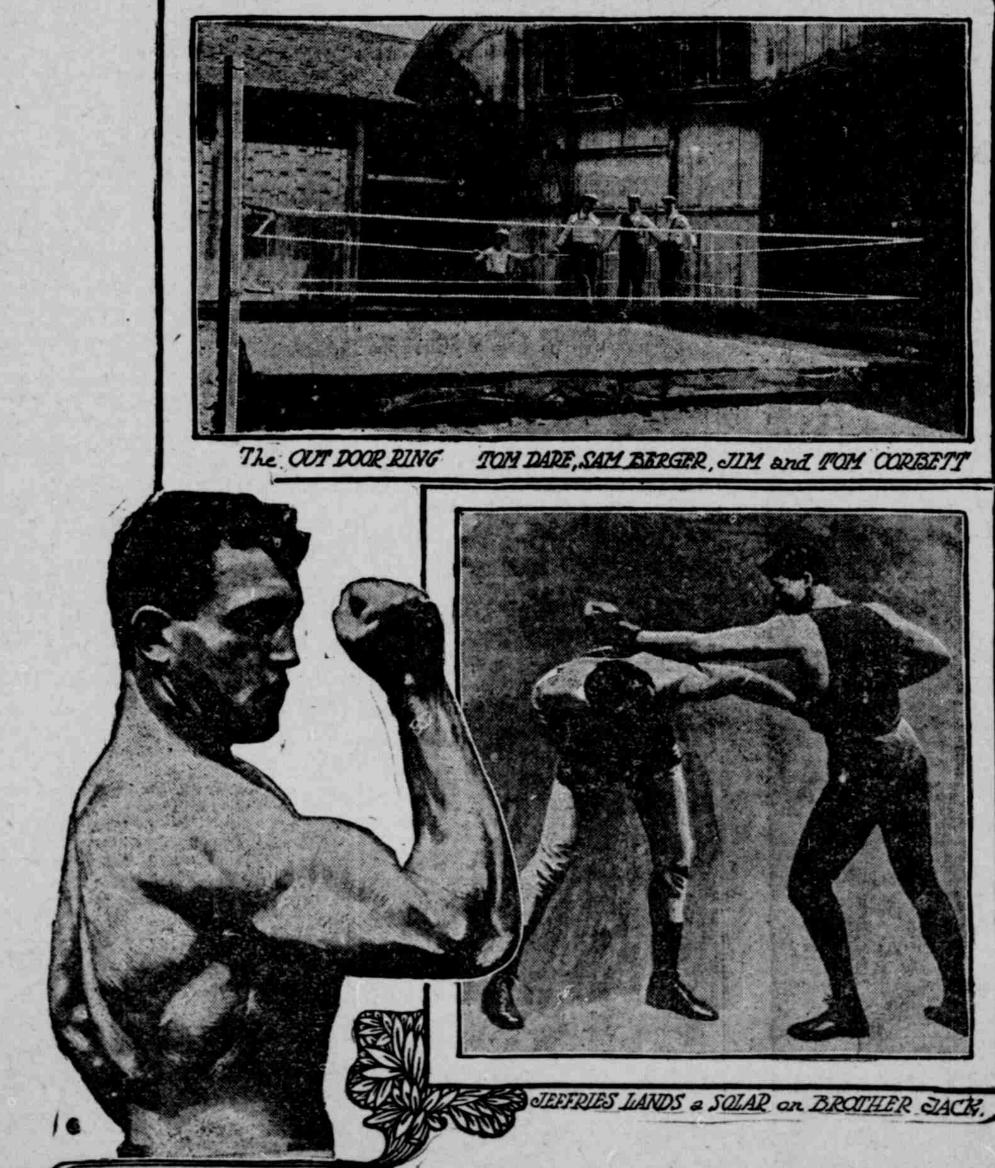
Stories which have been going the rounds

of the daily press concerning the gastro-

nomic feats of Dr. H. L. Bonner, of Ma-

rion, O., have savored so strongly of Munchausen, the classic prevaricator, that we has convinced us beyond a doubt that the most amazing of these reports are literally true, and that in Dr. Bonner Ohio can boast fully, true that Dr. Bonner has been known to eat twenty-five pounds of grapes, tween meals of an afternoon, and thinks no more of treating himself to a whole bunch of bananas when he feels that way, or incidentally making away with a crate runs about as follows: One five-pound steak smothered in onions, four dozen hardboiled eggs, eigteen boiled potatoes, a quart can of tomatoes, two or three pies and from six to nine glasses of milk to fill in the chinks. Often when the doctor comes home late of a winter night after a long, hard drive, he will take a "few light re-freshments" before retiring in the shape of a four-pound steak, fifty-six hard-boiled eggs, three and one-half pumpkin pies and a gallon of milk, and we have it as the direct testimony of a personal friend that Dr. Bonner never had the nightmare to his life. This same friend tells us of a chance acquaintance of the doctor's who happened to meet him on the street one day about 'noon and invited him into a restaurant to luncheon. The doctor suggested that it had better be a "Dutch treat," but his new friend objected to that and asked what he would have. The doctor said that if it was "all the same," he would take a five-pound steak smothered in mushrooms to begin with, and after that he "wouldn't mind" having three dozen fried eggs, a can or two of tomatoes, a dozen cucumbers and such little side dishes as there were on the bill. The acquaintance thought the doctor was putting up a bluff, but he ordered two five-pound steaks, the eggs and the other things on the list. After the order was served the friend engaged in conversation with a gentleman passing by and turned his back to the table, whereupon the doctor, just for a joke, cleared off everything, so that when his host was ready for his meal there was nothing left but the toothpicks. The host's remarks on this occasion are discreetly left to the imagination. It would be wholly unjust to Dr. Bonner to close this account of his extraordinary achievements at the table without stating, in all seriousness, that he is by no means a glutton, or a man who cares to pose as a great ton, or a man who cares to pose as a great eater. On the contrary, he is a refined gentleman, a graduate of Edinburgh College, a lover of art and literature and a successful and highly-respected physician. Mature seems to have endowed him with an abnormal capacity for food, and he only eate what he craves and what he needs, as other men do. He is a well-proportioned man, his weight being 220 pounds, and his age sixty-three years.

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JEFFRIES as he Looks James J. Jeffries is training hard for his coming fight with James J. Corbett. He is in the pink of condition, as his picture shows, and he considers that he will have an easy victory. Corbett has not fought since 1900, but Jeffries has whipped Ruhlin and Fitzsimmons since then. Jeffiles, in his last fight, did not get a blow in for twenty-one rounds, and then he won. The coming fight is for twenty rounds, and Corbett hopes to box well enough to keep Jeffries off until they are all fought.